1	2	3
36.	सतना	197
37.	सीहोर	35
38.	सिवनी	52
39.	शाहदोल	288
40.	शाजापुर	—
41.	शिवपुरी	28
42.	सिधी	197
43.	टीकमगढ़	74
44.	उज्जैन	—
45.	विदिशा	8
		5563

Post offices in West Bengal

2011. SHRI RATNA BAHADUR RAI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state .

(a) the number of Post *offices* and Branch Post Offices set up in West Ben, gal during the last three years district-wise;

(b) what is the target for the E*ighth.* Five Year Plan; and

(c) what is the amount allocated for the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) The details of post offices and branch post offices set up in West Bengal during! the last three years, district-wise, are given in the enclosed statement. *(See* below)

(b) and (c) During the Eighth Five Year Plan, it is targeted to open 3600 extra departmental branch post Offlces and 650 departmental sub-post offices in the country for which a provision of Rs. 23.65 crores has been allocated.

Statement

Details of post office opened in West Bengal during last three years

S. No.	Name of district	1990-91		1991-92		1992-93	
		S.O.	B.O.	S.O.	B.O.	S.O.	B.O.
1.	Bankura	—	2	—	2	—	1
2	Birbhum	—	4	—	—	—	5
3.	Burdwan		2	—	2	—	2
4.	Cooch Behar	—	5	—	9	—	5
5.	Darjeeling	—	1	—	11	—	9
6.	Hoogly	—	1	—	1	—	1
7.	Howrah	—	—	—	—	—	2
8.	Jalpaiguri		4	—	5	1	—
9.	Malda	—	11	—	—		1
10.	Midnapur		9		1	1	2
11.	Murshidabad	—	3	—	3	1	5
12.	Nadia		—		—	—	4
13.	North 24 Parganas	—	11	—	1	—	3
14.	Purulia		2		—		2
15.	South 24 Parganas	—	3		1	1	2
16.	West Dinajpur		2	—	5	—	10
	Total		60		41	4	52